

## Exhibit B

### Notice of Filing of Notice of Removal

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

BRIAN HOOGS

Plaintiff,

v.

WAFFLE HOUSE, INC.  
and MID SOUTH WAFFLES, INC.

Defendant.

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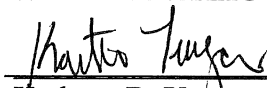
**NOTICE OF FILING NOTICE OF REMOVAL**

COMES NOW Defendants Waffle House, Inc. and Mid South Waffles, Inc., by and through their undersigned counsel of record and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d), and hereby give notice that they are removing this action from the Circuit Court for Davidson County, to the United States District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee - Nashville Division. Attached is a Notice of Removal, without attachments, filed in the District Court on December 30, 2016.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of December, 2016.

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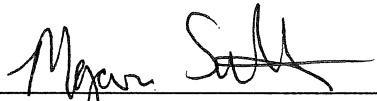
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on this date I served a copy of the foregoing *Notice of Filing Notice of Removal* by first-class mail and e-mail to the following attorneys of record:

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